ALLIES ADVANCE AT THREE POINTS ON VAST BATTLE LINE

the Germans in their advance and fighting, and in prospect of immediate concerning operations in this zone. reoccupation by the Russians. Forpletely cleared of the foe.

Germans have taken strong positions on their intrenched line from Thorn, used as a base, is now the scene of in Silesia. The Germans are silent

The Russian left wing has envelests west of the Vistula, which served oped the Austrian army advancing as a cover for the German artillery toward Poland in Galicia. Przemysl early in the week, have been comsians are at a disadvantage, according Petrograd acknowledges that the to the Petrograd War Office.

PARIS REPORTS GAINS NEAR YPRES, ARRAS AND CENTRE

PARIS, Oct. 29, reported to be on the way to the French Gains by the Allies at three points on and Belgian coasts to form an unbroken the battle front, particularly around line from Dunkirk to Zeebrugge, a distress, in Belgium, and south of Arras tance of more than 60 miles along the in France, are announced in the official statement leaved here this afternoon. The statement fellows:

Yesteniny (Wednesday) we made progress at several points on the line of battle, in particular around Ypres and to the south of Arras.

There is nothing new on the front from Nieuport to Dixmude. Between the Aisne and the Argonne we have captured some of the enemy's trenches and none of the partial attacks attempted by the Germans have succeeded.

We have likewise advanced in the forest of Apremont. Today's statement covers the line of

conflict from the Belgian coast to the German frontier. Like that of yesterday, it is optimistic throughout. Among the reinforcements received by Allies are reported to be detachments

of Indian troops. The French artillery has at last succeeded in setting to the front over the rain-sonked roads a number of big guns

o combat the heavy cannon of the Ger-More French and British warshing are been strengthened.

North Sea.

On the line between Cambrin and Arras. night and day attacks against the Germans, there have been herce assaults in the region of Vilmy and Souchs. Both these places have been damaged by artillery fire. Fighting has been in progress along this mighty battle line 47 days and still the main lines

of both armies are intact.
In the vicinity of St. Mihiel, the French are attacking with more vigor than ever to dislodge the Germans from the posi-tion which they took up on the Meuse. Although outnumbered by the French, the Germans are putting up a gallant de-

It is asserted by some military experts In Paris that the second big issue of the war—the attempted seizure of the North Sea coast by the Kalser-has been frus-trated. The first was the attempted cap-ture of Paris.

However, the outcome in the western theatre of war, especially in the north-ern sphere of operations is still in doubt, particularly so on account of the fresh troops with which both armies have

GERMANS ARE NOW ACROSS RIVER YSER, LONDON SAYS

crossing of the Yser River, north of Dix- brought up artiflery.

night on its west bank.

250,000 soldiers in the battle between Dix- kerke.

LONDON, Oct. 29. mude and Nieuport, and are bringing The Germans have again affected a 1(0,000 more to the front. They have

mude, and heavy fighting occurred last. The rumor of yesterday that the Allies had penetrated from the southwest past Immense reinforcements, believed to be Roulers to the region of Thourout is pardrafted from other parts of the German tially confirmed this morning by a disline, have been sent to the scene of the patch from Holland which says refugees battle. patch from Bruges and Ostend arriving there A correspondent of the Times at Flush-Nieuport and Ostend, which ended when ing advises that the Germans now have the Germans retreated toward Middel

BERLIN ADMITS CHECK ON FRANCO-BELGIAN FRONT

Because of heavy losses, Belgian forces changed, but along the Verdun-Toul in Nieuport have been compelled to retire, according to a statement issued at the War Office early today. The Bel-the conflict opened.

"In the eastern theatre of war, heavy wisnes have been replaced by French." glans have been replaced by French fighting continues in Galicia. On the troops and the Belgian town is still, held Vistula front our troops have taken up by the Allies, but German military ex- new positions, having withdrawn success

the western theatrs of war," says the statement, "though no decisive result German troops recorded by the first 50 has been attained on the Franco-Belgian lists totals 221,218, divided as follows:

fighting continues on the front near Dixmude, where both sides continue attacks and counter attacks, both The dead include 285 officers. This night and day. The Germans hold all shows that the German officers are leadpositions they have taken.

front we are steadily forcing the enemy back. The French losses in this region

perts believe it will be evacuated be-cause of the success of the German brought up to reinforce the enemy's line troops to the southeast. "The situation about Lyck and alons "The situation about Lyck and along Our troops continue to make gains in the East Prussian frontier is unchanged.

> Killed, 36,531. Missing, 35,522.

ing troops with great bravery.

CZAR'S LEFT CLOSES ON AUSTRIAN ARMY MOVING IN GALICIA

Przemvsl's Stubborn Resistance Only Obstacle to Russian Advance — Artillery Battle on East Prussian Border.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 29. Advices from the front indicate that the Austrian troops in Galicia are being Russian centre and right are driving the Germans back upon their advanced lines of defense inside the Elast Prussia fron-

In the campaign the bartle lines are to virtually the same position as they held the land forces. The Dutch army is in after the Eniser's soldiers were driven fine condition. out of Suwalki and Augustowo. The *d assuits have been repulsed.

The Germana in Cast Prussia are plainly depending on their artiflery to check the Russian advance while their demoralized forces can re-form and re- inhabitants. fit. Large quantities of ammunition and supplies of every sort, as well as a num-supplies of every sort, as well as a num-supply is very short. It is said that ber of pieces of srillery, had to be Great Britain is delaying food cargoes abandoned because of becoming bogged to Holland, and there is much adverse to the recent from the vicinity of War- criticism of this alleged action. Holland in the retreat from the vicinity of Warsaw. An enermous number of prisoners has been taken.

has been taken.

After more than a week of fight along the San River the Austrans have now commonced to retreat from the southern section. The other thing which is interfering with the advance of the entire Russian left wing is the stimborn realistance being maintained by the fortream of Przencyel. Energetic efforts are being made to reduce it, and it is believed that it will not be able to realist more than a few days longer. Already breaches have been made in the outer walls. Prisoners, who were captured following an unsuccessful sortle, state that the medical supplies are running very short and that there is also a scarcity of food.

ANTWERP AND BRUSSELS **NEW BASES FOR ZEPPELINS**

"Fall Migration" of German Airships to Belgian Cities.

LONDON. Oct. 29—Fight airships passed over Hasselt on the German-Belgian border, headed westward and evidently making for Brussels and Antwerp, where it has been stated that Zeppelin sheds are being constructed, says a diseatch from Rotterdam to the Daily Mail.

300,000 MEN GUARD DUTCH BORDER, AS GERMANS MASS

Holland Uneasy at Large Forces on Eastern Frontier.

ROOSENDAAL, Holland, Oct. 39. Holland is feeling the pressure of the war almost as much as if engaged in it. The report that the Germans are massing large numbers of troops on the eastern border is causing great uneasiness throughout Holland.

A Dutch army of more than 200,000 trained men is scattered at strategic borders. Roosendaal is the principal troop centre, as it is the only railway gate to Belgium that is now open. Hundreds of military automobiles leave here daily with messages and supplies for the border

The mouth of the River Scheldt and enveloped by the Russian left, while the all the canals are heavily guarded. A large garrison at Flushing is guarding the docks and the railway station to prevent any attempt to violate the neutralmined, and Duch cruisers and torpedo hoat destroyers are lying at its mouth

The horrors of war have been forced comy has violently bombarded positions on virtually all the cities, towns and country districts by the Belgian refugees, who are estimated at 500,000. The strains of properly attending to the refugees presses hard upon Roosendas with its 15.090 population. Flushing with 7000, and other towns with lesser numbers. In places there are more refugees than

Holland depends on the United States willingly feeding the refugees within its borders, but fears are expressed that famine conditions wil prevail unless the embargo is slackened.

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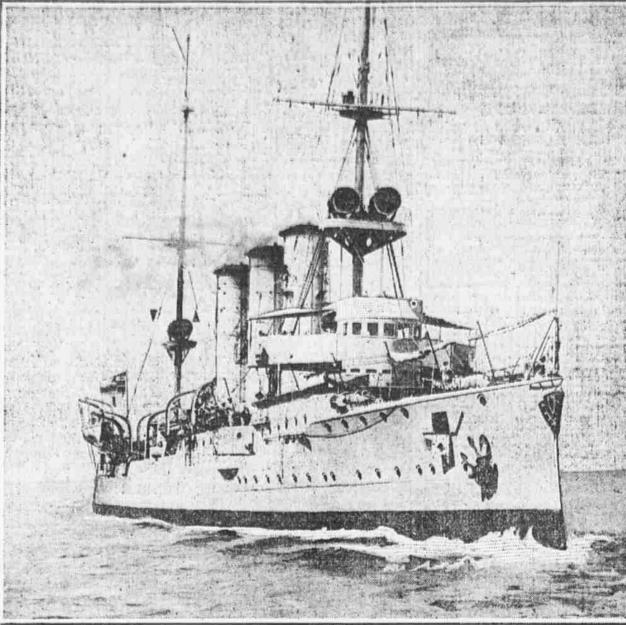
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Two more ships just destroyed by the German cruiser Emden bring the total accounted for by this comparatively | BERLIN REPORTS RESUMING small cruiser up to 35 since the outbreak of the war. At the start the Emden confined herself to the destruction of commerce. Her two latest victims are the Jemtchug, a Russian cruiser, and a French torpedoboat destroyer. Speed and facility of gun movement are the two outstanding features of the Emden. The cruiser has a high-

speed mark of 25.1 knots, although she is rated at but 24.5 knots an hour. She is equipped with ten 4.1-inch guns. These guns are so placed that four may be fired at the same time from stem or stern, and five broadside from port or starboard. In addition the cruiser has eight 5-pounders, four machine guns and two submerged torpedo tubes. With her high speed she is a formidable fighting craft, although prior to the opening of the war many naval men might have called her obsolete because of her age.

The keel of the Emden was laid in June, 1906, and she was put into service in the German navy in May, of 1908. Her length is 387 feet, beam 43 1-3 feet, maximum draught 173/4 feet and length over all 395 feet. The normal displacement of the Emden is 3600 tons. She has a crew of 321 men. Her reciprocating engines give her a horsepower of 13,500. The normal coal carrying capacity is 400 tons, and maximum 900 tons. The Emden was built at the Dantzig yard.

CZAR OVERWHELMS GERMANS IN MIGHTY INVASION OF POLAND

Wedge Driven by Reinforcements Cuts Kaiser's Front in Two—Berlin Admits Retreat.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 29. The German front in Russian Poland has been broken in two by the Russian advance up the Piliza River, and each portion is in danger of being outflanked y the fresh Russian troops which are onstantly being brought up from the

The Germans are being pushed back at every point where they still offer resist-

A report from the General Staff says that the Germans have been driven in flight back to their man trenches along the front, extending from Thorn south-ward through Klodawa, Ozorkow and Petrokoff. They have taken up strong positions upon the hills along the Ner River south of Klodawa.

"To remove the Germans from these positions," the report continues, "it will he necessary to bring up heavy artillery. This will require considerable time be-cause of the condition of the ground. The into along the Beiglan and German Germans destroyed every bridge as they retreated from the Vistula and these will have to be replaced by pontoon struct-

Letnils of the week's fighting clear up inficting reports of the past seven days. The entire German centre and right be- German New Guinea.

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fore Warsaw was routed and driven back GREAT BRITAIN MOUDMING in the four days' battle which ended Tuesday, and fresh Russian troops are now being hurled against the left wing be tween the Piliza and Bsura Rivers, in the region between Nonomiasto and Ez-

The reports indicate that the heaviest fighting there is about 20 miles east of Lodz, and that further retreat by the Germans there will put Lodz into Rus-

the line was struck Tuesday and that night the Germans retreated up the Hianka River, past Radom and fizha. The forests immediately west of the Vistula and south of the Iljanka, where the Germans threatened Ivangorod and Nova Alexandria ten days ago, is now com-pletely cleared of the enemy.

BERLIN, Oct. 29 The German and Austrian troops in Poland, according to an official announcement issued in Berlin, have been forced to withdraw before fresh Russian forces advancing from Ivangorod, Warsaw and Novogeorgisevsk, after having repulsed all former Russian attacks.

The official statement continues: "At first the Russians did not follow, and the withdrawal of our troops took place without difficulty. The reserve troops will change their formation acording to the situation."

GERMAN SHIP KOMET SEIZED BY AUSTRALIANS

New Guinea Governor Among Prisoners Taken.

SYDNEY, Oct. 29.-Australian warships captured the German ship Komet off New Guinea and she was brought in here today. Among those on board made prisoners, was the Governor General of

SAFETY-FIRST

DROPS IN HIS EYE PUT BOY'S LIFE IN PERIL

Remarkable Case of Atropine Poison- J. Ing-Small Patient's Heart and Brain Terribly Overstimulated. the nine-year-old

Spruce street, is rapidly recovering W. from one of the strangest attacks of atropine polsoning in the medical records. Four drops of atropine placed in the oy's eyes in the course of an ordinary onhthalmid examination were communicated to the brain and heart through the fine blood vessels and nerves of the eyes, and muscles of the heart and brains were overstimulated to such an extent that for several hours the boy's life was in dan-

The lad had been under the treatment of of an oculist only two days and a half, and me the ordinary atropine solution used by all culists had been administered only twice as became alarming. Dr professor at the Medico-Chirurgical College, was then called in. He found the boy delirious and hysterical. Strong anti-dots were administered hypodermically, and after ten hours of heroic treatment the boy was finally declared out of danger.

From Phila. Public Ledger. MORAL-Don't allow "drops" to be used when having your eyes exam-

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First Member of Royal Family Killed in War.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—Beginning today the British court goes into mourning for three weeks for Prince Maurice of Batenburg, a cousin of King George and a prother of Queen Victoria of Spain, who lied as a result of wounds received at

Prince Maurice is the first member of the British royal family to be killed at the front. He held a commission in the King's Royal Rifle Corps.

NAMES BOY FOR TWO KINGS

'George Albert," Son of Canadian Commisioner General.

PARIS, Oct. 29.-Madame Philip Roy rife of the Canadian Commissioner Gen-ral in Farts, to whom a son was born on halted for a time at least. October 6, has christened him George Albert, for the Kings of England and

STEAMSHIP SUNK BY MINE LONDON, Oct. 29.-A dispatch from Fleetwood reports that a steamship has been blown up by a mine laid by the Germans off Tory Island, on the northwest coast of Ireland. The information

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WAR MOVES SHOW GERMANS PLAN DRIVE TO BOULOGNE

Advance on Calais and Dunkirk Apparently Abandoned for Present-Kaiser's Forces Struggle in Net of Canals.

By A MILITARY EXPERT

The drive of the Germans in Belgium, now under the Duke of Wurttemberg. toward Calais and Dunkirk apparently has been diverted and it now seems to be their intention to push directly on to Boulogne, further to the south, instead. They will probably throw their main weight on the Dixmude-Ypres line. The Duke's order that the army under his command must hack its way through back up against one of these streams.

to the Straits of Dover at all costs will As it now is, the Germans everywhere stands, but the objective has been somewhat changed.

The Germans discovered they have in front of them on the coast route a stretch of country every inch of which they would have to carry by assault. and their plan to hack their way across it to get two very strongly fortified cities apparently has been abandoned.

The proposed line of advance now seems to be further to the south-southwestward along between the River Yser and along between the River Yser and Ypres Hazebrouck-St. Omer road and the first objective is Boulogne and the open undefended town.

On the Dixmude-Tpres front it is stat-ed that the Germans are preparing to throw \$50,000 men, and it is certain that when the attack is made a concerted action in support will take place from the Lille district.

was at Boulogne that Napoleon waited for an opportunity which never came to invade England and the ad-vance on and the taking of that town is the scheme which naturally appeals to

The Duke of Wurttemberg therefore will attempt to push back the allies and thus, so he hopes, be able to walk into Boulogne and later into Canis and Dunsoulogne and later into CaAls and Dun-kirk. He will attempt to reduce those strongholds with heavy artillery and with the army flushed with the triumph of having reached the Straits of Dover. By ANDRE BEAUMONT

PARIS, Oct. 29 .- A small contingent of Germans have succeeded, after terrible devastation in their ranks, in crossing the Yser, but instead of being an advantage to them it is rather a danger, as may be

shown before long. It is not sufficient in such ground to have crossed a river, stream or canal, for the country is nothing but a network of these. An army must avoid having its

are in danger of being driven into the canals or waterways, and losing all their men and guns. If they expect to be able to carry on a warfare of trenches there, as they did for a month in the valley of the Alsne, they will again be mistaken, as in the French and Belgian Flanders the ground is so wet that trenches three feet deep have a foot and a half of water in them during the night.

behind houses. In some places long, straight rows of workmen's cottages, especially near coal mines, have been fav

pecially near coal mines, have been favorable to this plan.

On several occasions throughout these critical days it looked as if the Allies must fall back and abandon the line of the Yser. Fighting along the whole line has been of the most severe character, and losses are very heavy. Monday afternoon events took a much

more favorable turn. The Germans en-tirely failed to follow up their early successes, and have been again driven back across the Yser. Their furious at-tacks on the centre of the line at Pervyse, between Nieuport and Dixmude, also failed. Sunday night one German regiment did succeed in passing through wormant troops in front of Dixmude and actually entered the town. Here they were caught in close formation by chine guns and wiped out.

OF OFFENSIVE IN POLAND

BERLIN, Oct. 29 .- Admitting that the Germans operating in Russian Poland were forced to retreat because of the mmense superiority of numbers of the Russlans, the War Office, in a laconic statement, supplementing the original declaration, issued today, says:

"We are again resuming the offensive." east to aid this movement.

GERMANS SACRIFICE 80,000 IN ASSAULTS ALONG YSER

Tremendous Losses Suffered in Objective Against French Ports.

BORDEAUX, Oct. 29. ide line will be

RUSSIA ORDERS GERMAN SUBJECTS OUT OF COUNTRY

Previous Withdrawal Caused by Russians' Superior Numbers.

Austria and Germany must leave this

It is understood that strong additional reinforcements have been sent to the

According to information given out at the French War Office today, the Germans sacrificed between 75,000 and 80,000 men in their attacks along the Yser with the French ports as their objective. No information is given as to the losses suffered by the Allies, but it is stated that their casualties were only a fraction of those suffered by the Germans. As a result of French successes north and east of Ypres, the French war officials believe that the German attacks

Activity of Kaiser's Spies Causes

General Banishment. PETROGRAD, Oct. 29. Because of the activities of German and Austrian spies in Russia, the Government has ordered that all subjects of

city and other districts within two weeks. It is known that many secrets relating to the military establishment have been revealed to Germany since the war began, and in many instances the German commanders have known what Russian troops were at the front before that knowledge has been given to the people of Petrograd.

German claims that cholera and dysentery have broken out in the Russian army are officially denied. It is stated that the arrangements for caring for the Russian soldiers are unsurpassed



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